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Annual Meeting of The Board of Trade

The annual meeting of the Crossfield and District Board of Trade will be held in the Fire Hall on Monday, January 5th at 8 o'clock. Election of officers for 1931 and other important affairs.

To Honor Frank Collicutt

The regular monthly luncheon of the Board of Trade will be held in the Oliver Hotel on January 9th. H. S. Craig, Deputy Minister of Agriculture will be the speaker of the evening.

Frank Collicutt will be the guest of the Board of Trade at this meeting in honor of his outstanding success at the Toronto Royal Winter Fair and other Eastern Stock Shows at which his Hereford cattle were the leading winners.

Members who are desirous of attending this luncheon should secure their tickets from the Secretary Mr. T. Tredaway as soon as possible.

Charles Donald Injured In Auto Accident

Charles Donald, until recently a resident of Crossfield, now of Air-drie, was severely injured in an auto accident on Christmas Eve. at about 11.30, when a Ford coach in which he was driving collided with a Ford coach driven by Mr. Murphy of Innisfail. The accident took place on the highway between the large sign and Methers's corner.

The occupants of the Innisfail car escaped with a few scratches and a shake up, but Mr. Donald was injured about the head and had several ribs broken.

It appears that Mr. Donald was on his way home, and had forgotten a parcel in Crossfield and in turning around the car ran into the ditch, he had just backed onto the grade as the other car crashed into him. The Greenizan who had been driving with Donald had got out of the car when it went into the ditch and escaped injury.

Mr. Donald was taken to Calgary on the noon train on Thursday and is now a patient at the Col. Belcher Hospital. At the time of going to press it is not known just how serious his injuries are.

Both cars are badly wrecked, and we are informed that it would not pay to repair them.

Joint Christmas Tree and Concert a Huge Success

The U.F.A. hall never held such a large and appreciative audience as that of Monday last, when the annual Christmas Tree and Entertainment took place. As in former years the concert was in conjunction with the Anglican and United Church Sunday Schools together with our local school.

The teachers of our local school took entire charge of the instructing and teaching of the children the various items and are to be congratulated upon the success of their endeavours.

It would be unfair for us to pick out any singular item, as each item was staged as near perfection as can be expected from a group of young children.

Mr. Waldo, superintendent of the United Church Sunday School made a very efficient chairman.

Of course the hit of the evening was the arrival of Santa Claus, who arrived on the scene about 10 p. m., and judging from the noise made many a little heart glad to see him once again, and to receive a present from the huge Christmas tree, which was as usual heavily laden with presents and decorated with a flood of colored twinkling lights. Santa was the recipient of many gifts from the elder portion of the scholars and pupils of the various schools, which he promised to convey to the poorer children in Calgary.

At the close three cheers were called for the teachers of the local school and teachers of the Sunday schools, for the way in which the evening had been made such a success and judging by the response from the audience it was evident that everyone present joined in.

Principal Hay of the local school suitably accepted the thanks on behalf of the teachers.

Directors of Old Timers Meet on January 3rd.

A meeting of the executive of the Old Timers' Association will be held in Laut's store on Saturday, January 3rd, at 8 p. m.

The annual round-up and celebration will be held in February.

The public and high school closed on Tuesday afternoon for the Christmas holidays. They will reopen on Monday, January 5th.

To The Editor

Editor Chronicle
Dear Sir:

I have been given to understand that in the fall of 1929 and again in 1930, some of our local farmers and elevator agents were restrained from threshing and hauling grain on Sunday—some being fined for this offence.

If this is correct, I am wondering why certain employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and Elevator Construction Companies are permitted to remain undisturbed while they calmly erect snow fences and elevators on the Lord's Day.

I hold no brief for Sunday work, threshing or otherwise—far from it—but I do believe that there is more real justification in trying to safely harvest a valuable crop of grain during a bad spell in late fall, than there is in construction work of any kind, so why not make our laws apply to everyone irrespective of who they may be.

In these days of hustle and bustle, would it not be well for us to check up as to where we are drifting?

Most of us remember the time when Sunday was regarded in its true light—a day of rest and refreshment from the cares of every day business; today, in a comparatively short space of time we find such cases of disrespect for the Sabbath quite frequently and we can say, without fear of contradiction that no one benefits morally or financially. By "passing the buck" and saying nothing we are all automatically encouraging such things, and one hesitates to look ahead even 20 years, and think how Sunday will be regarded by our own children unless our laws are strictly enforced, without respect to persons.

God gave us six days in which to carry on our business of living, whatever it may involve, and asks very little in return—to set aside one day in seven in which to worship Him in peaceful, quiet enjoyment.

Pro Bone Publico.

Let's Get Going

While open air skating rinks at Carstairs, Calgary, in fact all round us, have had skating for the past month or more, but our rink has not been flooded yet. There all kinds of men out of work right in town here and it seems that the skating rink properly conducted, would at least give a man—who cared to work—a living.

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Canada's Markets Abroad

The securing of markets abroad for the products of Canada, whether those products be in the form of foodstuffs, raw materials, semi-manufactured or fully manufactured articles, is one of the biggest tasks confronting not only the Federal Government, but farmers, producers, manufacturers, individually and collectively. It is safe to say that the Government of Canada, quite apart from the fact whether it be, for the time being, administered under Liberal or Conservative auspices, is sincerely anxious to develop existing markets and to secure an entirely new ones.

The task is a difficult one at all times, and particularly so just now in view of existing world economic conditions. Yet because of these very conditions it is all the more imperative that the maximum effort be put forth.

Canada is a young country, with, considering its vast extent of territory and variety of resources, a comparatively small population. As a result, in almost every line of activity and industry, this Dominion is not only capable of producing, but is actually producing, an enormous surplus over and above what our own people require or can purchase and consume. The domestic market alone cannot, therefore, keep the people of Canada busy and make them and their country prosperous. Canada must have foreign markets in which to sell, and those markets must be continuously developed in order that the steadily expanding production of the Dominion may be profitably sold.

This situation for Canada is no new thing and has been engaging the attention of Governments at Ottawa for many years. It will be of interest to people generally to know how energetically and effectively the work of securing and developing markets for Canada in other lands all over the world is being prosecuted, through the offices of trade commissioners.

These Canadian trade commissioners abroad are credited with being largely responsible for the phenomenal development of the Dominion's foreign trade within the past decade.

During last year the staff obtained millions of dollars' worth of new business, arranged for 604 new agencies and submitted 4,245 reports to Canadian firms—all without charge to the exporters concerned.

Canadian trade offices are in strategic centres throughout the world. At present there are thirty-two posts, each administered by a Trade Commissioner, and in addition there are fifteen assistant posts. Eighty-nine are in training in Ottawa for future work abroad. All but three of the fifty-odd Trade Commissioners, assistants and juniors are graduates of Canadian universities, and the Trade Commissioner service is regarded as offering splendid opportunities for young Canadians with university training in arts, commerce, science and economics. The Trade Commissioners are sent abroad for a period of from two to four years, depending upon the climate in which the post is situated. They then return to Canada for an extensive tour of the Dominion. During this tour they visit the principal cities of the Dominion, interviewing Canadian exporters and any one else who may desire first-hand information on the territory covered by the Trade Commissioner. In this way they maintain personal touch with Canadian business men and keep thoroughly familiar with their country's industrial progress.

While the work of Trade Commissioners is primarily concerned with the development of Canadian export trade, they may be called upon at times to do work that is done for other countries by Ambassadors, Consuls and Commercial Attaches.

Unusual Problem For League Sees Capital and Labor As Allies

May Have To Settle Dispute Over Band Instruments

Possibility is looming that the League of Nations may have to settle a dispute over instruments of the Smithborough band. The British Customs authorities have seized the pieces after they had been sent to the parish priest of Rosseau, County Fernbergh. This was a sequel to the evidence given in a case heard at Monaghan, from which it appeared that the members of the Smithborough band had a dispute, and the instruments were taken to the parish priest's home station where the parish is in the Free State and part in Northern Ireland. The trustees undertook to take the instruments back to Smithborough and pay the customs duty. But the British customs authorities have them now, and are demanding duty on them, as well as a penalty for taking them into Northern Ireland by an unauthorized route.

Cheap Transportation Method

Washington Farmers Use Pipe Line For Transporting Wheat To Market

Instead of hauling wheat eighteen miles over rough roads, several grain growers in the state of Washington send it from farm to railroad by pipe line. The grain slides through a one-inch galvanized iron pipe direct to the railroad station where sacking is done for some consignments, while in other instances wheat is run from the pipe directly into freight cars. Hauling costs about fifteen cents a bushel and the pipe-line method less than two cents.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Ancient Pottery Found

Particles of pottery, arrow heads, shells, grinding stones and rocks of unusual formation have been found in an ancient mound on the banks of Cache Creek, near Lawton, Oklahoma. Practically every rock found appeared as if it had been in a fire. Edges of the stones are unusually sharp. Near the mound bones of some prehistoric animals were found recently.

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WAR HERO AND FIANCEE



Commander E. Yvon Berthoff, D.S.O., of the Royal Navy, who served on H.M.S. Sirius, one of the block ships in famous Zebrugg blockade during the great war, with his fiancée, Miss Doris Marjorie Browne, of Wimbledon, England.—Copyright, 1930, by Pacific and Atlantic Photos, Inc.

An Unusual Court Action

London Girl Suing Movie Houses For Holding Sunday Performances

London, England, is wondering just what motives to ascribe to Miss Millie Arpen, bobbed haired girl of 23, who, assuming the role of "common informer," has filed legal actions which may net her a large sum of money. The actions are writs claiming damages of more than \$100,000 from film corporations and movie houses on alleged infringements of a law of 1781 forbidding Sunday performances, and recently sustained by a ruling of three high court judges.

Under British law a "common informer" may receive a part of the whole of penalties accruing to the government as a consequence of the information given, and, subject to certain restrictions, it would appear that this status would hold for Miss Arpen.

Although there has been considerable agitation to close the Sunday movie houses by the Sabbath Observance League, the young woman, who works daily in London, told interviewers that she was playing a lone hand, and was not backed by any organization.

The role of "common informer" is unusual in Great Britain in the day and time, but it has an ancient standing in British law, having been regularized as long ago as the reign of Henry VII.

Linking Canada-U.S. Air Mail

Planes Will Operate Daily Between Winnipeg and Minneapolis

Agreement has been reached between the postal departments of Canada and the United States, whereby contact between the air mail services of both countries will be linked between Winnipeg and Minneapolis.

The details of the agreement are: Air mail will be flown from Winnipeg to Fennell daily by the new Canadian Airways Ltd. At that point, which is on the international boundary, the mail will be picked up by the United States Air Mail service and flown to Fargo and Minneapolis.

The agreement irons out a difficult point between the air mail authorities in the two countries. The United States really desired to fly the Winnipeg route going and coming, but the Ottawa department insisted that Canadian planes be used for the Canadian end of the service.

The linking up of the two air mail services will open to Western Canada the whole air mail system on the southern section of the continent and also the services to South America which link up with the United States air mail.

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Cause and Effect
It is claimed that a better automobile can now be bought for half the price of a few years ago; while the cost of building the average small house increased about 25 per cent. between 1921 and 1928. This may explain the complaint of the renter that people fairly live in their cars.

Eels are hatched at sea and after they have adventured inland along streams and rivers they return to the sea to die.

The color orange is frequently used in marking trails because it can be seen well against the snow.

Scientists Make New Discovery

Believe Alaskan Plant Is Pioneer Of All Vegetable Life

The "liverwort," a small delicate plant found growing in Alaskan lava beds, has been advanced by science as the possible pioneer of all vegetable life.

Striving to solve the riddle of the start of vegetation on the earth's crust in the dim past, an expedition of the National Geographic Society explored the lava wastes of the Alaskan Peninsula last summer and found the liverworts were thriving where no other plant life could survive.

The preliminary report of the expedition, headed by Dr. Robert F. Griggs, botanist, says the lava areas, created 15 years ago during the first eruption of Katmai volcano, were barren of soil, and there was no apparent trace of nitrogen, necessary for plant growth.

Where the liverworts have been established long enough to decay and form beginnings of soil, however, other plants were starting, said Griggs.

Started In Hard Luck

Series Of Accidents Marred Wedding In New Jersey

Several things happened before and after the wedding at Phillipsburg, New Jersey, of Mr. and Mrs. William Koch. They were approximately as follows:

The bridegroom's father fell ill and could not attend.

The flower girl fell from a piano stool and broke her arm.

The bride's mother fell down a flight of steps, receiving severe bruises.

A party of friends drove ahead of the bridal automobile and stopped quickly. There was a collision.

A passing motorist stopped to inquire, if his aid was needed. As he stepped from his automobile a fourth car hit him and knocked him down.

Mr. and Mrs. Koch had planned to go to Niagara Falls. They changed their plans and headed for Wilmington, Delaware.

Visitors From Britain

Many British and European Tourists Are Expected To Visit Canada

Within the next two years visits to Canada of British and European tourists, commercial and industrial men will be increased in number and enhanced in importance as a result of the dominating place taken by Canada recently on the European stage of world events, it was stated by William Baird, steamship passenger traffic manager for the Canadian Pacific Railway, who returned on the steamer "Duchess of Richmond," which arrived from Liverpool, England.

Improved Quality Of Sheep

Increasing recognition of the value of improving quality in sheep has led to 4,000 rams being graded in Canada this year. At the office of Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, it was announced that official lists of pure-bred rams are available and may be obtained from sheep promoters of the Dominion livestock branch.

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Mrs. Aldamond Lalonde, 2481 St. James St., Montreal, Que., writes:—"After a spell of the grippe I was very nervous, and felt drowsy and tired out all day, and could not sleep at night. I was also troubled with my heart and did not feel at all like working. I was told about Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and after taking four boxes I was completely relieved of my trouble, and can recommend your Pills to everyone."

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Canadian Copper

Production Of Refined Copper Greater Than Domestic Demand

The proposal in Washington that a duty be levied on refined copper brings out the fact that Canada shortly will be producing more of this product than she requires for her own use. For many years the Dominion brought practically all its refined copper from United States.

With the new plant at Copper Cliff which opened last July and the one erected by the Noranda and other interests in Quebec, the Dominion will be a considerable exporter of refined copper if these plants, as well as the one at Trail, B.C., all operate at capacity. It is estimated Canada uses 50,000 tons of copper a year. The total production of which the plants would be capable would be in the neighborhood of 200,000 tons.

At present there is a bounty of one-half cent a pound paid by the Dominion Government on copper refined in Canada from Canadian ore and used in Canadian manufacture. There is also a tariff against certain types of bar metals.

Dubs Trial A Farce

Believes Confession Of Russian Engineers Was Staged For Effect

A belief that Leonid Ramin, Russian engineer, whose death sentence was commuted after his conviction with seven others on accusations of plotting against the Soviet regime, is innocent of the charges against him was voiced by H. W. Brooks, of New York, consulting engineer and friend of Ramin.

Brooks, who was in Europe with Ramin, while the Russian engineer allegedly negotiated with groups hostile to the Soviet government, declared he saw "never a sign of a plot."

The confession Ramin made accusing himself of sabotage and of plotting the overthrow of the Soviet Government, as well as the other proceedings at the trial of the eight engineers, was termed the "most naive piece of propaganda I ever encountered," by Brooks. He further declared the confession was arranged by the Gpu, Soviet secret police, as part of a "revolutionary" to strengthen the position of the Stalin dictatorship.

If the world's acreage of rubber could be stretched in a band around the equator it would make a belt almost half a mile wide.

Costly Wedding Gift For Noted Aviator

Kingsford-Smith Receives Silver Cutlery Service From Oakland, California

Among the costly presents for the wedding of Wing Commander Charles Kingsford-Smith and Miss Mary Fowler, which occurred at Melbourne, Australia, Dec. 10, is a solid silver cutlery service in beautiful cases of birds' eye maple, presented by residents of Oakland, California.

It was at Oakland that the famous aviator began his circumnavigation of the globe and trans-Pacific flights, and ended the night around the world after crossing the Atlantic.

Shipments From Flin Flon

Manitoba Zinc and Copper Being Exported In Large Quantities

Shipments of blister copper and zinc have been coming through steadily from the Flin Flon since operations were commenced in the new smelter there in November, according to T. P. White, superintendent of car service of the Canadian National Railways, who reported that since November 19th, there have been nineteen cars shipped.

It is evident that much of this Manitoba zinc and copper is being exported as 13 of the cars have been billed to the Canadian seaports, Halifax and St. John. Four cars have been shipped to New York and two more to Toronto.

Asthma Cannot Last when the Great of Alaska Specifics is Used

Dr. J. D. Kollege's Asthma Remedy assuredly deserves this exalted title. It has to its credit thousands of cases which other preparations had failed to benefit. It brings help to even the most severe cases and brings the patient to a condition of blessed relief. Surely suffering from asthma is needing when a remedy like this is so easily secured.

Still Writing War Books

Predictions made last spring that the stream of books written about the World War had reached high-water mark and was likely to abate, have not been realized in Europe. This winter shows that writers of various nationalities are turning them out as fast as ever. The British War Library has now received 60,000 volumes, an average of nearly 14 a day since the armistice.

Minard's Liniment Alids Sore Feet.

Increase In Air Travel
Passenger travel by air between London and Paris has increased from 716 in 1919, to 23,946 in 1929. More than 30,000 passengers are expected to be carried by commercial airplanes over this route during 1930.



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BIG REDUCTION IS NOTED IN OUR WHEAT STOCKS

Ottawa, Ont.—Canada's wheat stocks are gradually getting down near the totals of last year at this time. When the crop season opened on August 1, there was 113,000,000 bushels of a carry-over. Added to this was the new crop estimated at 396,000,000 bushels. This was figured to indicate an exportable surplus of 316,000,000 bushels more than in 1929, or about 396,000,000 bushels which could be exported. This was exclusive of wheat used for home consumption, seed, feed, etc. At the end of November last, however, owing to the increased clearance, the export supplies were only 50,000,000 bushels higher, and amounted to about 278,000,000 bushels. This does not include wheat held in the United States.

The above figures were included in an official summary of the statistics issued recently on the wheat situation. It adds that the 278,000,000 bushels surplus is not unreasonably high for this season of the year, considering that the five year average exports of the last eight months of the crop year—December 1 to July 31—amount to 187,435,223 and the average carry-over in Canada at the end of each July for the past five years was 176,000,000 bushels. Other high lights of the report were:

The shipments of wheat from producing to consuming countries of the world decreased gradually during November, but the reduced clearances from Soviet Russia and the United States. Shipments from Canada were fairly well maintained. World production outside of Russia and China is about four or five per cent. greater than it was last year and the surplus in exporting countries is larger. The import demand up to date, however, would indicate that consumption will increase relatively more than production.

The carry-over of old wheat in the Southern Hemisphere was of insignificant amount and North America's visible supplies are lower than they were last year.

The Russian crop is one of the largest in history and exports from this country have been maintained in surprising fashion up to a total of 65,458,000 bushels on December 11. Many observers of the European situation look for important increases in demand for wheat during 1931, but there are some misgivings because of the great increases in stocks of Russian wheat during November in those countries where trade is relatively free. Notable examples are the United Kingdom, Italy and Holland.

With respect to the Southern Hemisphere it is now believed the 215,000,000 bushel official estimate was too high owing to damage by winter. The Argentine crop has also not met such a favorable season, but the information as to its extent is not overly reliable.

During the past month the competition of the United States with Canada on the world wheat market has gradually receded and United States wheat is hardly a factor in the world situation at the present time. The government-sponsored agencies have kept the prices of cash wheat and the early futures well above world prices.

B.C. Leads in Apple Output
Ottawa, Ont.—British Columbia led all the provinces in values of apple production, according to an estimate made recently by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The apple crop and values in the three important producing provinces follow: Nova Scotia, 1,000,000 barrels, \$2,700,000; Ontario, 526,000 barrels, \$1,853,000; British Columbia, 4,322,000 boxes, \$5,408,000.

Takes New Post In January
Kemptville, Ont.—Hon. Howard G. Ferguson, former premier of Ontario, will proceed to London, England, to assume his duties as Canadian high commissioner about the middle of January in all likelihood. That is Mr. Ferguson's present intention, expressed to the Canadian Press.

Have No Workless
Boston, Mass.—There are at least 65 towns in Massachusetts which need no unemployment committee or advice on how to handle the unemployment situation. They have no one out of work, they reported to the Massachusetts emergency unemployment committee.

Yugoslavia plans to extend its telephone system to cover the country.

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Study Of Economic Conditions Suggested

Research Council May Be Asked To Make Work Survey

Ottawa, Ont.—The suggestion that a committee of the National Research Council study national and international aspects of matters having a bearing on prevailing economic conditions was held out by Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada. In an address to Ottawa service clubs, the Labor Union leader remarked that the Dominion is without a co-ordinated authority of this sort. In this regard, it was important that the country keep abreast of the times.

Premier Coming West

Expects To Be In Calgary By New Year's Day

Ottawa, Ont.—Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett will probably spend Christmas in the east and New Year's in the west. Somewhere between these days, possibly at the end of the month in time to be in Calgary on New Year's, the prime minister may speak in Regina.

For years, Premier Bennett has visited his old home and relatives in his native province of New Brunswick, on Christmas, and he will probably do so again in the coming season. On New Year's he will likely be in his western home.

Shipping Fish By Air

New Venture In Northern Saskatchewan Has Been Inaugurated

Prince Albert, Sask.—Still "kicking" 600 pounds of whitefish, frozen and caught at Lac La Ronge, were landed here by aeroplane in less than two hours after netting, by the Buhl plane of the Brooks Transportation and Construction Company. This has inaugurated a new fishing venture in northern Saskatchewan. Immediately the cargo was unloaded, Capt. "Bakimo Bill" Broatch took off for another load of 1,500 pounds more. The fresh catches are consigned to markets in eastern Canada and in the United States.

Control Of Labor

Soviets To Tighten Up Laws Governing Employment

Moscow, Russia.—Strict control of labor within the U.S.S.R., was announced by the Central Executive committee of the Union in a decree published here.

During the third year of the five year plan, according to the decree, there will be no changing of jobs by workers, technicians and others except with the formal permission of the authorities. Salaries and wages for each particular job will be the same throughout the nation, thereby eliminating all competition for labor, which was marked last year.

Governments Plan Reward For Aviator

Heroism Of Pilot Wasson Will Be Recognized

Victoria, B.C.—The provincial government in co-operation with the Federal Government, will recognize in tangible form the heroism of Pilot Everett L. Wasson, who recently rescued two members of the lost Burke party in Northern British Columbia, it was stated here. A joint special grant will be made to Joe Walsh, the prospector who assisted Mr. Wasson in his rescue work.

Unscrupulous Advertising

Toronto, Ont.—A recommendation that the police department have one man solely for the purpose of scrutinizing all advertisements, and to follow up any that look suspicious, owing to the number of cases of young people being swindled out of their savings by unscrupulous advertisements in the daily press is contained in the presentation of the grand jury in general sessions made to Judge Widdifield.

Salmon Treaty May Fail

Seattle, Wash.—Sponsors of the international sockeye salmon treaty between the United States and Canada, headed by E. A. Sims, Port Townsend, forecast its failure. The treaty is dead, so there is no reason now why it should be discussed," said Sims. Sims is a former member of the State Fisheries Board.

Seize Liquor Boat

Providence, R.I.—The British oil screw boat "Maskinonge," registered at St. George, Newfoundland, was captured by a coast guard patrol boat Tuesday, December 16, with a cargo of liquor off Sakonnet Point, coast guard officials reported.

Fog Causes Alarm

Population Of Liege Fears Of Repetition Of Mysterious Epidemic

Liège, Belgium.—Population of the Liege district became highly alarmed at the appearance of a dense fog, fearing a recurrence of the recent mysterious epidemic which killed more than three-score persons.

Many families of Engis, Jemeppe, Ougree and Seraing, prepared to move from the valley to the neighboring heights, and those suffering from asthma or other respiratory afflictions hurried especially to evacuate the lower places.

They were all the more anxious to leave since the news spread that post mortem examinations of the previous victims and scientific investigations of the tragedy had not been able to fix definite blame for the deaths.

Spurred by the reappearance of danger, the government rushed the appointment of a special commission which had been decided upon at the recent cabinet meeting.

One reason for fear is the fact that many persons have not recovered from the previous attack. At Engis alone, nearly 100 persons still are under medical attention.

HEPBURN TO LEAD ONTARIO LIBERAL PARTY

Toronto, Ont.—Mitchell Frederick Hephburn, member of the House of Commons for Elgin West, was elected leader of the Liberal party in Ontario.

Only one ballot was necessary in the straight contest between Mr. Hephburn and Elmore Philpott, Toronto newspaperman. Although the results of the division was not announced, it was understood Mr. Hephburn received 427 votes and Mr. Philpott, 97. There were 607 delegates at the convention.

Six names were put forward when nominations were asked for at the opening, but the contest quickly narrowed down to a straight fight between the aggressive Western Ontario parliamentarian and Philpott, W. K. Murphy, K.C., and Arthur W. Roebuck, well-known Toronto lawyers, and Hon. Peter Heenan, former Dominion Minister of Labor, quickly withdrew. They were followed by W. E. N. Sinclair, K.C., of Oshawa, for more than seven years House leader of the party in the legislature, who declared he wanted to give the other fellow a chance. "In withdrawing," Mr. Sinclair suggested the two men still in the running.

The new leader said he had no immediate statement to make regarding leaving the federal field. He was unable to say whether he would continue to represent West Elgin in the House of Commons until a provincial general election is held or whether he could contest a by-election. From other sources, and quite reliable, it was learned the chances were Mr. Hephburn would maintain a remote control over the Liberal members of the legislature and continue in the federal field for possibly one or two sessions.

Selection of a federal member as provincial chieftain will necessitate the appointment of a House leader in the legislature, and it is quite probable Mr. Sinclair will continue this role.

Canadian Apples For Belgium

Halifax, Nova Scotia.—The largest apple shipment yet forwarded from Nova Scotia to the European continent is on its way, consisting of 18,000 barrels destined for Antwerp, Belgium.



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Lord Gorell, son of famous English divorce court judge, poet, barrister, soldier and journalist, and colorful figure in British politics, whose name has been mentioned as successor to Lord Irwin, viceroy of India.

Gold Production Higher

Figures Show Canadian Output Made

Ottawa, Ont.—Gold production in Canada reached a new monthly record for all time in October last, when the total output amounted to 186,370 ounces, according to figures compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The bureau's monthly review shows all branches of the Canadian mining industry maintaining high levels of production with the output of the 15 mineral products showing advances over October, 1929.

SPANISH REVOLT IS BEING KEPT WELL IN HAND

Madrid, Spain.—Widespread strikes with half-a-million men out and repeated riots continued in many parts of Spain; but the attempt to overthrow the monarchy seemed decisively crushed, at least for the time being.

King Alfonso himself continued to dominate the situation, keeping in constant touch with distant cities by telephone and conferring at length with his cabinet ministers. His right hand man, Premier Damaso Berenguer, was put to bed with a severe case of tonsillitis, but his doctors said he would recover with a bit of rest.

Throughout the kingdom the civil authorities had surrendered their powers under martial law and troops were in charge at strategic points. The Foreign Legion came into several cities and the tumultuous cheers with which the people received them was interpreted as an indication that the man in the street is tired of the disorders of the past few weeks.

The artillery held Barcelona, four men were killed in a street fight at Oviedo, and mobs clashed with the soldiers at Santander, Valencia, Alicante, La Coruna, and Tarragona, where dock workers refused to unload a fishing smack and its cargo was thrown overboard. There were strikes also at Bilbao and San Sebastian, but both those towns seemed to be calm with the army in control.

The jails are full and batches of prisoners have been locked up in the motion picture houses which have had no audiences for days. It was expected that most of the prisoners would be turned loose soon and that leaders in the unsuccessful revolt would receive nothing heavier than prison sentences from the courts martial which were in session.

Delegation Waits On

Postmaster-General

Mail Carriers Ask For Improvements In Their Routine

Ottawa, Ont.—Representing the Federated Association of Letter Carriers of Canada, a delegation waited on Hon. Arthur Sauve, postmaster-general, to press for improvements in the routine of the mail carriers.

Mr. Sauve promised careful consideration of the requests of the delegation, including the following: Holidays between May and October, rather than in the winter months; increases and improvements in pensions; payment for overtime work and elimination of deliveries on civic holidays; limitation of the weight of the mail carrier's bag to 35 pounds when he leaves the post office; and regulations concerning magazines and newspapers in the mail and the disposal of undressed letters.

Charge Is Dismissed

Judge Lindsey Is Rebuked By Magistrate As Case Is Closed

New York, N.Y.—Charges against former Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver, growing out of his demand for a hearing during services in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine two Sundays ago, faded among the shadows of legal technicalities here.

Magistrate August Dreyer, upholding a demurrer of Arthur Garfield Hays that the original disorderly conduct complaint against his client was defective, ordered a new complaint drawn. He called several times for somebody to step forward and sign it.

Nobody did.

Then after rebuking Lindsey for the act which the magistrate said everybody knew about, he slapped his hand upon the bench and announced: "This case is closed."

LABOR PARTY ESCAPES DEFEAT BY SIX VOTES

London, England.—By the narrow majority of only six votes, Premier Ramsay MacDonald's ministry survived a division in the House of Commons.

The vote came on an amendment inserted by the House of Lords in the Expiring Laws Continuance Bill which proposed prolongation of the Dywidag Act for another year. The government was anxious to abolish this act upon its normal expiration next month and therefore urged the Commons to reject the Lords' amendment.

By a vote of 244 to 238 the House of Commons did so and the Expiring Laws Bill thus returns to the House of Lords for further consideration.

The fact that the government was so nearly defeated was largely due to the absence of its usual Liberal support. Analysis of the hallooting showed that the Liberals, who hold the balance of power and generally vote with the Labourites were diverted into three camps—some voting with the government, some against it and some abstaining.

Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, Liberal chieftain, was not in the House when the division was called. About 12 Conservatives were neither in the House nor were paired for the division. Had this party polled its full strength the MacDonald government would have been defeated.

In well-informed circles it was believed that the Lords, specially since the encouragement they received from the narrowness of the government's majority, would insist on their amendment, in that case the government would either have to bow to their wishes, which was considered unlikely, or to run the risk of another division, which might well be even closer than the first.

An alternative would be for the government to throw overboard the whole Expiring Laws Bill. Here Mr. MacDonald is in a difficult position, because the passage of this bill is necessary to secure the continuance of various measures, including the Rent Restrictions Act, which the government is most anxious to preserve.

The situation has thus become one of the most complicated which has arisen in British politics for a long time, not only because it contains the possibilities of unexpected developments from the point of view of party politics but because it may also bring up the old issue of precedence between the House of Lords and the House of Commons in an acute form.

PLAN MEETING OF PREMIERS AT REGINA, DEC. 30

Winnipeg, Man.—Prairie premiers are planning a conference with Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, prime minister of Canada, when he arrives in Regina, December 30, to address a public meeting. The premiers of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba hope to place their problems before Mr. Bennett shortly after Christmas and during his sojourn in the Saskatchewan city.

Premier J. T. M. Anderson of Saskatchewan, on behalf of the Manitoba and Alberta government heads Hon. John Brodeur and E. J. Brownlee, will attempt to have the conference held in Regina, which would eliminate the necessity of the long journey to Ottawa.

At the Regina meeting Prime Minister Bennett, it is believed, will make his eagerly awaited announcement as to his plans for wheat markets and prices, the vital factors in the Canadian west today. Then the prairie leaders hope to place before Mr. Bennett their troubles arising out of the decline in wheat values and the condition of the farmers as a result of the grain situation.

The Federal Government was urged at a meeting in Ottawa between the cabinet and the Western leaders to stabilize the price of wheat. Various agrarian associations in the prairie provinces favored stabilization of wheat at prices ranging from 70 cents to \$1.00, basis No. 1 Northern, Fort William.

Agricultural authorities state that if wheat values are stabilized at 70 cents per bushel the Federal Government would be required to appropriate \$37,000,000.

Advocates Hog Raising

Says Raising Of Hogs Will Save the Situation In The West

Winnipeg, Man.—"The hog will save the situation in the west, just as it did in Ontario in the early eighties," Joseph Harris, general manager of the Harris Abattoir Co. (Western), Ltd., remarked recently in an interview. Farmers are rushing to get into the hog business he added.

Admitting that with greater production, hog prices will fall, Mr. Harris said that there never had been a time when the ratio between the cost of coarse grain and the price of hogs did not leave room for a profit to the farmer. Canada, he thought, was the logical source of pork supply for Great Britain.

Talk Of Secession

Acute Economic Situation Is Responsible, Says Bracken

Winnipeg, Man.—Fear that further demands for secession of the west from the Dominion may be heard before present problems are solved was expressed by Premier John Bracken of Manitoba.

"It is to be regretted that conditions are such in many parts that people feel they have justification for such requests," said Mr. Bracken, referring to a resolution passed by the farm body at Wilkie, Sask., favoring secession unless agrarian relief is accorded. "But I fear there will be more demands of this nature before our present problems are solved."

Grain Marketings Increase

C.N.R. Show Highly Satisfactory Increase Over Figures For 1929

Winnipeg, Man.—Grain marketing along the lines of the Canadian National Railways show a highly satisfactory increase over the figures of 1929, according to a statement issued by T. P. White, superintendent of car service. This year 122,972,000 bushels have been marketed since August 1, while over the same period in 1929 only 94,504,000 bushels were marketed. An increase of more than 28,000,000 bushels is noted.

Prince Albert Wants Senator

Prince Albert—Conservative workers of Prince Albert constituency have decided to petition Premier R. B. Bennett requesting that the present Saskatchewan vacancy in the Senate be filled by a man from this constituency. No name was suggested in the resolution.

May Represent Canada

Ottawa, Ont.—Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, may be Canada's representative at the Buenos Aires exposition, which will be opened by the Prince of Wales on March 14 next.

Mechanization Of Industry And The Part It Plays In Our Industrial Life

Is the mechanization of industry, agriculture, and commerce displacing man-power? Causing workless workers?

This challenge, heard before, is uppermost now in debate on unemployment.

Whether labor-saving machinery actually means fewer jobs is debatable. Yet it is worth while to consider the following information, carefully compiled, believed to be authoritative:

In Saskatchewan there are 41,104 farm tractors; practically one for every three farms. In addition to the tractor there is the combine harvester. In 1926 there were 148 combines in Saskatchewan; in 1927, 382; in 1928, 2,679; and, in 1929, 2,279. Each of these machines will, at a conservative estimate, displace from four to six men.

Figures for Manitoba and Alberta are not available, but it is safe to say that there has been a comparative increase in the use of these machines on the farms in these provinces.

One power shovel today can excavate as much dirt on a city street as it required 200 unskilled laborers to shovel 30 years ago.

Twenty years ago all glass tubes were made by glass blowers. Today one machine makes as many as 400 of these skilled men then. The bottle-making machine increased the output per man from 45 to 950 bottles per hour.

Ten years ago an automatic machine for the making of electric light bulbs was invented which produced 73,000 in 24 hours; formerly one man could make 75 in a day. Recent improvements so increase this productivity that each machine displaces 2,000 workers.

The strip mining of coal has produced a power shovel that lifts a ton at a time, dumps it in cars and returns for a second bite in three-quarters of a minute.

A dough-mixer and one man do the work of 10 bakers.

One girl with a rib-cutting (clothing) machine does the work of 25 cutters; with a button-hole machine that of 50.

The lasting machine enables one man to do the work of 10 shoemakers; machines now do 90 per cent. of the work of making a shoe.

The carton machine does the work of 10 hand wrappers.

One operator on an open hearth charging machine does the work of 40 workers.

A pig-casting machine with seven operators took the place of 60 workers.

With a cigar-making machine one man does the work of 15.

Two men do the work of eight, helped by an automatic stoker.

An automatic conveyor enables 12 men to do the work of 150.

The Boston and Maine Railway has installed a mechanical device by which two or three men will switch as many cars as 400 previously set about the yard.

The dictaphone makes it possible for two typists to do the work of nine stenographers.

A cheque-writing machine that does the work of six clerks is in successful use. It writes a cheque every minute.

The magnetic crane operated by two men replaces 128.

Twelve men, operating a crane, take the place of 37 in pouring molten metal.

An automatic bottle wrapping and card printing machine will wrap in quarter portions and put cartons on more than six tons of butter in eight hours.

In modern steel making eight men turn out 100 tons where formerly they turned out 5½ tons.

A big excavating machine is now at work that will lift 15 tons of earth at a time and carry it a city block or even lift it to the height of a 10-storey building with no other help than two hands to pull levers.

The making of books is now done by machines. In one binding 60,000 are bound, boxed and shipped in one day.

The dial telephone reduces the operating force to one-third.

It is estimated that under old hand methods it would require 1,000,000 men to make 10,000 Ford cars in the time now required, and they would cost \$10,000 each.

While the above by no means completes the list of labor-displacing machinery it will give a fair idea of the trend of modern industry, agriculture and commerce.

However, there is another side to the question, this: That somebody must be making all these labor-saving machines. They are made in factories, hundreds and thousands of factories, all giving employment. More than that, they use iron, steel, copper, nickel, paint; make for development of mineral and other industries, give jobs in other trades.

There is the printing trade. Machines now do most of the work, set ordinary type, set up headlines, do most of the old hand-printer's job. Yet, curiously enough, there are more men employed in the printing trades today than ever before, not to mention thousands and thousands of printing machines for printers.

There is the matter of consumers. An automatic machine may make 73,000 electric bulbs in 24 hours, as against 75 by one man twenty years ago; but how many electric bulbs are in use today compared with twenty years ago? And so on and so forth all down the list of commodities. We are using things now, scores and scores of them, which were in use today twenty years ago, which gave nobody work.

So, come to think of it, what is called the mechanization of industry may not be such a bad thing. Perhaps if we got back to the stagecoach days of doing things by hand a lot of factories would close down and a lot of people lose their jobs. —Ottawa Journal.

The Acid Test

Minister Of Agriculture Applies Real Test To Farm Policies

The Hon. Robert Weir, Federal Minister of Agriculture, speaking at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, recently, concluded his enunciation of important new policies in agriculture with a reference to what he considered the real test of the worth of a national policy. "In working out any national policy in agriculture that I undertake I place myself mentally in some simple farm home," he said. "Many of them come to my mind when I am working on these problems. I judge everything by that alone. If the policy when enunciated does not leave its impress in the farm home then, I know you will agree with me, it is not worthy of the name of a national policy of agriculture."

Warn Potato Growers

Government Requirements For The Proper Grading Of Potatoes

While there is a marked improvement on the part of potato growers in the grading and marketing of their product for sale the general practice is still far short of the requirements of federal regulations under the Root Vegetables Act. The Dominion Fruit Commissioner states that in Ontario alone over fifty infractions have been dealt with by his inspection staff so far this year. The general requirements for marketing potatoes are: They must be graded "Canada No. 1," "Canada No. 2," "Canada No. 3," or "Canada Fancy"; the grade must be marked by a tag on bags and by stencilling on barrels or other containers, the marking to show the name and address of the grower and the grade of potatoes in the package. The regulations for grading and marketing potatoes apply throughout Canada and infractions involve serious penalties.

A coin minted by the Ottoman Empire at Constantinople in 1255 was recently found on a farm near Savannah, Ga.

"Poor Jones is dreadfully anxious about his wife."
"Why, what has she got?"
"The car."

Only those who have nothing to do look upon life as a burden.



(By Eva A. Tingey.)



NEW BLOUSES

Among the recent Paris collections many lovely blouses were shown. Numberless models were shown, more often than not white, sometimes cream. Other smart models were carried out in lane and were intended for Sunday night wear and smart occasions generally.

Today's pattern shows an adorable tunic blouse in gold lame spot design. The skirt of black satin with hand pleated section in front is joined onto a straight band with an elastic at the waist. As readily understood, this band can be omitted and the skirt joined to the tunic to form a complete dress.

Carried out in black and white satin, this rig is also tremendously attractive. Incidentally by the narrow blouse panel and pleated skirt section the rig is slimming.

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CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

Her voice trembled. She stopped abruptly in an effort to control it.

"What that you're wondering?" said the old man quietly. "Better tell Uncle Sim your troubles. Get 'em off your chest and you'll feel better."

Gay laughed shakily.

"I haven't any real troubles, Uncle Sim. They're all imaginary. Nick's a darling. I wouldn't change him for the President of the United States! But sometimes I wonder where he'd be if he hadn't asked me to marry him. Not in Saskatchewan surely. I made him wait two precious weeks in camp each year, he hasn't been away a day since we came back from our honeymoon."

"Well," prodded the old man, seeing that the story was not half told, "he's been off full as much as you have, hasn't he?"

"That's different," she answered quickly. "I love to roam, but I love my own hearthstone best. I'm not the bona fide tramp that Nick is. The other night" (she put her hand to her throat as if something hurt her), "we were sitting together on the porch, and our new neighbor began to sing. Her voice is—beautiful. I don't know what she was singing, but I had a Gypsy lilt to it that would have stirred anyone, on a spring night. Nick didn't say one word, but I knew how it made him feel. He wanted to run, run, run, to the ends of the earth. He wanted the freedom he used to talk about. I—I almost hated the woman for singing that way on such a night."

"You're a big comfort, Uncle Sim," Gay squeezed his hand, and stooped to kiss her little boy. She smiled, and her heart lightened as the grotesque figure of the old man moved down the street, the umbrella sheltering both him and Sonny, while he steered the go-cart skilfully with one hand.

There was something no sane about Uncle Sim, she thought. Morbid ideas couldn't live in the same room with him. Perhaps, as he said, her foreboding thoughts had been due to tired nerves. At any rate, she would take his advice and rest for an hour while the baby slept.

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"Daddy," he questioned, and wagged so eagerly that the old man's fingers had hard work loosening the strap.

"Hold on, Sonny. You just sit still till Uncle Sim can pry you loose. My! won't Daddy be tickled? Here, now, you'll smash your fingers in that door. Better let Uncle Sim carry you. A surprise, now, we'll give Daddy a surfer."

But as they pushed back the door it was evident that Nick was busy. He was talking with a lady—a lady with a soft blue gown whose wonderful rippling hair caught even Simon Bartlett's mild attention. Sonny, amazed to find his father occupied with someone else, remained quite silent for a moment, his baby hand tightly clutching at Uncle Sim's convenient collar.

Whatever the lady's business, thought Simon shrewdly, Nick was absorbed—too much absorbed to have noticed the opening door. Then suddenly the boy could restrain himself no longer. He moved uneasily and cried, his childish voice echoing through every corner of the room: "Daddy, it's me! I've come!"

Nick started, and his face broke into a smile of welcome. With one exception everyone in the room smiled, too. The exception was, of course, the lady in blue, who, at the first note of Sonny's voice, had been forgotten. Nick did not see that, with an impatient shrug she had slipped away, because at just that moment

ain't a fit place for a pole cat to reside in, to say nothin' o' human bein's. If I hadn't carried my umbrella I'd he got a sunstroke, just walkin' from the depot. The heat's got on your nerves, as they say—that and havin' two babies pretty close together. I ain't lived seventy-four years for nothin', Gay, and I'd bet my last dollar they're not a thing aint' you but what I said. I don't need to tell you that Nick's a good boy—a damn good boy, if he does hanker now and then to cut 'n' run. Guess you've had the same feelin' yourself, only a woman gets a mile more comfort out o' her babies. Now I'm goin' to say hello to Sonny, and take me down to the First National Bank. If you'll put him in his go-cart I'll admire to push him along down town. Makes me feel like a genuine granddaddy, and I'll give you a chance to rest up some before dinner."

"He ought to go bye-bye," said Gay smiling, "but he'll be delighted at an excuse not to! You're sure he won't be a bother, Uncle Sim?"

"I ain't ever seen the time yet, Gay, when I'd call a little child a bother. If John Maxwell can't talk business with a baby in the room, he ain't the granddaddy I take him for; but if I find I'm mistaken I'll put Sonny in the cage along o' his daddy."

Gay winced, and said, with a smile at her own foolishness: "I know it's ridiculous, but when anyone mentions that cage it makes me shiver. I don't like to see wild things in cages, and

Simon chuckled.

"That's a fine thing to say about a steady boy like Nick. Wild! He must ha' changed some since last I see him. But there, dearie, I know what you mean. A cage don't seem no ways suitable for Nick, but so long as he holds the key himself there's no need to worry; and if I know Nick he wouldn't swap that cage for the wild-est old man o' freedom that didn't include his wife and babies."

"No," said Gay loyally, and her own eyes brightened. "I don't believe he would."

"Now you go lay down," commanded the old man as he departed, the huge umbrella in one hand, the other resting on the handle of Sonny's go-cart. "Don't you bother with no nuttin' this noon. I'll stop to the drug store and carry you some ice cream if they'll pack it so we won't be runnin' rivers by the time we get here. You just take things easy. Nick ain't me'll do up the dinner dishes. Put 'em in company, and you ain't got a thing to worry over."

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LADY SQUIRES AND DAUGHTER



Lady Squires, wife of Sir Richard Squires, prime minister of Newfoundland, with her lovely young daughter, Rosamary. The photograph was taken in London, where Sir Richard was attending recent Imperial conference.

he was receiving a hot and affectionate embrace from his little boy.

But neither the shrug nor the impatience was lost on Simon Bartlett. As he grasped Nick's hand he thought: "I'll bet my Sunday-go-to-meetin' hat that she's the party who upset Nick by singing that 'cursed song.' About he said: 'Well, boy, it's good to see you. I got to have a few words with John Maxwell. Will I leave Sonny here or take him along in'."

"Leave him with me," said Nick. "He likes this cage of mine. Sometimes there are canaries, and sometimes bears. It doesn't make much difference, does it, old boy?"

"Let's be moo-owns," said Sonny gleefully; and Nick agreed with a grin.

(To Be Continued.)

New Town Growing

Minton Is Youngest and Claims To Be Liveliest in Saskatchewan

The new town of Minton, located at the end of the steel of the Broomhead-Minton branch of the C.P.R., is now the youngest and liveliest town in Saskatchewan. The town was surveyed only a short time ago, yet it has two stores, one lumber yard, three implement dealers, two elevators, one hotel, pool hall and meat market, municipal hall, two blacksmith shops, two garages, one oil station and an up-to-date post office. Minton has a large territory of a splendid mixed farming country, which contains some of the best wheat land in southern Saskatchewan. It is the first town on this side of the border on Highway No. 6 and the best town between Regina and the boundary line. The government had to close its \$10,000 police station near here for lack of business in that line and there is now no police within 35 miles, nor need for one.

The farmers in this territory are exceptionally thrifty and they nearly all own their own farms. Very few even have loans against their land. They're practically all engaged in mixed farming and keep a good deal of stock.

U.S. Naval Program

Proposals Made To Appropriates \$134,635,000 For Construction

The United States administration's first year program for construction under the London naval treaty was laid recently before the House naval committee by Secretary of the Navy Adams. It was estimated to cost \$134,635,000.

It calls for the construction of one 7,500-ton six-inch gun cruiser; one six-inch gun flying deck cruiser; 10,000 tons; four submarines of 1,100 tons each; one plane carrier of 13,500 tons; ten destroyers of 1,500 tons each; one destroyer leader of 1,850 tons.

Adams said the program was exclusive of the proposed modernization of the battleships Mississippi, Idaho, and New Mexico at a cost of \$30,000,000, approved by the senate.

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Blagle: "When you found that I had not got your fare, the conductor of the tramcar made you get off and walk?"

Mowat: "Only get off, he didn't seem to care whether I walked or not down!"



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French knots or tiny spots are a pretty yoke decoration. For a dressier afternoon model a tiny pleated self skirt outlining the yoke and cuffs is charming. For the simpler models, contrasting binding at these points is also most attractive.

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Name

Town

Good Honey Crop

The Southern Alberta honey crop this year will reach at least 750,000 pounds, or almost double what it was a year ago, according to the latest surveys. The quality this year is said to be very high.

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Electric Power In Rural Saskatchewan

Electric Light and Power Now Provided Over a Wide Area

By the throwing of a switch in the Saskatoon power house of the Saskatchewan Government Power Commission, a new era for many towns in central Saskatchewan was recently introduced. This act marked the energizing of the new high tension power line to Shellbrook and the lighting up of that town and of a number of intervening towns by electricity supplied from the central electric station in Saskatoon.

While the towns along the northern line to Shellbrook were the first to benefit from the big construction program of the power commission carried out during the summer of 1930, the act of electrifying those towns was only one of several such events expected to take place within a short period. About 400 miles of power lines will be functioning shortly and a hundred towns will be effectively lighted and supplied with power.

Shellbrook is about 120 miles from Saskatoon by transmission line. Another line goes northeasterly to Rosbarn and is being extended to Duck Lake, a distance of 60 miles from Saskatoon. Eastern the wires will soon be connected to Humboldt, about 75 miles from Saskatoon. Southwesterly the lines run to Zealandia and thence to Outlook, roughly 100 miles, and at this point the section will also be made very shortly with power from Moose Jaw. From Moose Jaw to Outlook the distance is also in round figures 100 miles. They represent the initial program of the Saskatchewan Government Power Commission to provide electric light and power over a broad area of the province.

Government-owned transmission lines to spread power over rural Saskatchewan have now become an established fact. Toward this objective, the first was taken about two years ago when the Saskatchewan Government purchased from the City of Saskatoon the municipal light and power plant. This steam-electric generating plant, to become the key station for distribution in the central part of the province, was turned over to the Saskatchewan Power Commission and since then its capacity has been greatly enlarged to meet the demands put upon it in supplying power, not only to Saskatoon, but to the numerous towns in the surrounding territory.

Show Good Horsemanship

German and Irish Riders Carry Off Honors At Toronto

Germany, closely followed by Ireland, carried off the honors in the most spectacular of the events in the horse show of the Royal Winter Fair at the Coliseum, Toronto.

The German and Irish military officers and their mounts won the leading honors in the Royal York's \$10,000 Military Jumping Stake. This accomplishment was achieved against the competition of the crack horses and riders of the other national teams of the United States, Sweden, Canada and Hungary—in a display of horsemanship which has probably never before been witnessed at the Fair.

The Germans won first and second prizes, and the entries of the Irish Free State won third and fourth prizes with the United States coming fifth.

It was a close competition over a difficult course. How close it was is indicated by the fact that the two German horses cleared the course with only 1 1/4 faults each, while the two Irish horses cleared the course with only two faults each.

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If Canadians Accept Invitation To Eat In Quantities

Already Canadians are eating more eggs per head than any other nation in the world. It is possible that, as bacon goes so nicely with eggs, they are making quite an inroad into the bacon of the country.

Now they are asked to add another sort of food to the menu—a couple of apples daily into the bargain, and on top of all this, to take their regular ration of fish. We may as well say good bye to the slim athletic build in which we have always taken such pride, for the ideal Jack Canuck of the future will inherit the contour of a capital "O."

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Little Helps For This Week

"While I live will I praise the Lord: I will sing praises unto my God while I have any being."—Psalm cxlv. 2.

Ah, no! the truest worship does not

In fast and vigil; spending dismal days

Only to lift the tribute of a sigh.

Gives God no glory. Come with gladness lay,

All ye who truly love the Lord most high.

For perfect prayer is found in perfect practice.

If, then, I were a nightingale, I would do the part of a nightingale.

If I were a swan, I would do like a swan. But now I am a rational creature, and I ought to praise God; this is my work. I do it; nor will I desert this post so long as I am allowed to keep it, and I exhort you to join in this same song.—Epictetus.

Where Gold Comes From

Largest Production Of Gold In Canada Made In 1929

The largest production of gold recorded in Canada was made in 1929 according to a report just issued by the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics. The total output last year of the precious metal from all sources in Canada amounted to 1,928,308 ounces, valued at \$39,861,663, compared with a production of 1,890,592 ounces valued at \$39,052,000 in 1928.

Six provinces of Canada and the Yukon Territory produced gold in 1929 as follows: Ontario, 1,622,367 ounces; British Columbia, 194,204 ounces; Quebec, 80,798 ounces; Yukon Territory, 35,892 ounces; Manitoba, 22,455 ounces; Nova Scotia, 2,687 ounces; and Alberta, five ounces. In Ontario, the Porcupine and Kirkland Lake areas contributed practically the whole of the output of the province.

Worms however generated, are found in the digestive tracts, where they eat up disturbances detrimental to the health of the child. There can be no comfort for the little one until the harmful intruders have been expelled. An excellent preparation for this purpose can be had in Miller's Worm Powders. They will immediately destroy the worms and correct the conditions that were favorable to their existence.

Pompeii Yields More Treasures

Ancient Roman Gold Objects Found After Being Buried Eighteen Centuries

Spurred on by discovery of a fortune in ancient Roman gold objects, buried for more than eighteen centuries under the lava of old Vesuvius, archaeologists are pushing on to additional finds.

One of them is a polychromatic statue of Apollo and another a fresco of surprising beauty. Both of them were in the same ancient house at A.D. 79, when Vesuvius destroyed this ancient city.

A Feeble Explanation

"Frederick," observed the wife, "you were talking in your sleep last night, and you frequently spoke in terms of endearment of a certain Euphemia. Who is Euphemia?"

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"Frederick! Your sister's name is Mary!"

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urer on the first Monday of each month
commencing with February at the hour
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25th.

Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. M. Thomas spent
Christmas at Bassano.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and
son Arthur, spent Christmas Day in
Calgary.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. W.
D. (Jim) McCool at the General
Hospital, Calgary, a daughter.

Keep in mind the annual meeting
of the Board of Trade in the fire
hall on January 3th.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Devins motored
up from Parkland on Wednesday
evening to spend Christmas
with Mr. and Mrs. Mossop.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Cruickshank
and Florence, spent Christmas with
Mrs. Cruickshank's mother at
Wayne.

The regular meeting of the
Senior C. G. I. T. will be held at
home of Frances Mobbs on Jan.
5th. When Rev. Currie will ad-
dress the meeting. Frances Mobbs
and Eva Jarman will have charge
of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Patterson of
Calgary were Sunday visitors at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M.
McCool.

Mrs. McCrea and children of
Bassano are spending the Christ-
mas holidays at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Halliday.

Miss Jean Scott, who is attend-
ing the University at Edmonton is
spending the holidays at the home
of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam
Scott.

Things in general were very quiet
here during Christmas week and
merchants report a big drop in
business over the same time last
year.

While Gordon Purvis, the ice-
maker, is wrestling bravely with
his job at the curling rink, he is
finding it a real tough one, owing
to the mild weather.

Alton High was up from Cal-
gary on Friday and Saturday,
hauling gravel out to Nier Siding,
where they are running a founda-
tion for a section house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McRory and
daughter Helen, Miss Ruth Van
Wart and Mr. Ernest Young of
Calgary spent Christmas at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McRory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson
and daughter Hildred, and Harry
Griffiths, all of Calgary, spent
Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P.
C. Griffiths.

Start the New Year right by
sending The Chronicle home.
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address in Canada for one year.

Local News

Elsie Mossop accompanied by
Mrs. Mossop, attended the Cana-
dian Legion Christmas tree in
Calgary on Saturday last, when
over 1000 children had a real time.

Don't forget the annual New
Year's Eve Dance of the Agricul-
tural Society in the U. F. A. Hall.
Music by the famous Rhythm
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year out. A big time assured.

Arnold High and L. Nichol
made a motor trip out west of
Sundrie on Friday and report
that the drilling for oil on the
Big Red Deer will start right
after the New Year as the derrick
is already up.

Postmaster Mossop states that
mail received here during the Christ-
mas rush was about the same as
last year, and while he had issued
practically the same number of postal
orders as last year the sum of
money involved was considerably less.

Mayor Williams, while in Cal-
gary on Tuesday presented the Cal-
gary Fire Department with a cheque
for \$25.00 from the Village of
Crossfield in appreciation of ser-
vices rendered by the Calgary Bri-
gade at our recent fire.

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The Crossfield Fellowship Club
will meet on Thursday, January
5th.

Any member of the executive
will be only too glad to give any-
one any information that he can
regarding this Club. If you are
a prospective member talk to a
member of the executive. Please
don't be "backward in coming
forward."—this Club is for young
people, and we want all the young
people we can get.

With a Government investiga-
tion into the price of flour, it
would not be out of place for
the Provincial Government to
find out from the Breweries why
the price of beer has not been re-
duced to the consumer, (provid-
ing they use barley for malting
purposes.)

With the majority of the citi-
zens of Alberta in favor of Gov-
ernment control, it is high time
that the Government was as much
interested in seeing that the con-
sumer secured his liquor at a fair
price, as they are in securing a
profit, which is about two and a
half million dollars a year.

With the Distillers, Brewers,
Governments and Hotel Keepers,
all getting their pickings from the
sale of intoxicating beverages,
there remains but one lamb among
the wolves—the purchaser.

The Government makes a good
profit out of liquor, and rightly
so, at the same time the consumer
is entitled to some consideration.

The Sale of lands under the
Tax Recovery Act, in respect to
lands in the Village of Crossfield
on which arrears of taxes had not
been paid, was held in the Muni-
cipal office on Saturday afternoon.
Although there was a good crowd
present, there was but one buyer.
Mr. G. Fox became the owner of
Lot E. 1-2-11, block 2, plan 4504 I,
the property on which is situated
the New Butcher Shop. All the
other parcels of land were knock-
ed down to the Village by auc-
tioneer Mr. W. McRory.

We extend to our readers and
friends hearty good wishes for a
Glad New Year.

The year just closing did not
live up to the high hopes enter-
tained at its commencement. Un-
mistakeably it has been a tough
year. Yet even periods of depres-
sion have their uses. We believe
confidently that the worst is past
and that everyone can look for-
ward to the future with renewed
courage.

The Elba School Christmas Ent-
ertainment held in the East Com-
munity Hall on Friday night was
attended by a crowded house and
Miss Seville, teacher and pupils
are to be congratulated on the
excellent program given. The dance
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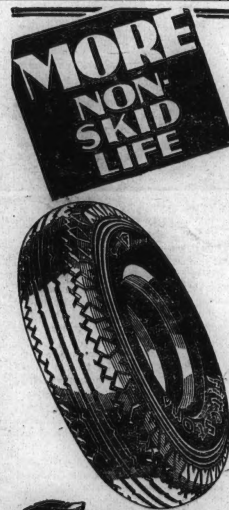
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